

Harrington Happenings

Police Department 10 Mechanic St. 398-4493

Harrington Public Library 110 Center St. 398-4647

Parks & Recreation 114 E. Liberty St. 398-7975

Spring 2019

Public Works After Hours On-Call Phone Number 632-8827 City's Website http://harrington.delaware.gov

Spring Clean Up May 4-11

City Hall

398-3530

106 Dorman St.

Residents of Harrington can take bulk trash items to the Public Works Yard (102 Franklin Street) for disposal during Spring Clean Up.

Photo ID is required as proof of residency. Tires, paint, & batteries will not be accepted. Appliances must have the Freon removed by someone certified to do so and tagged.

Clean out your garage, shed, or attic or get rid of that old mattress for free!

Call City Hall if you have any questions.

Utility Bill Adjustments for Pools

Filling your pool for the summer? The City of Harrington can read your water meter and deduct the water used to fill your pool from the sewer bill. Contact City Hall after filling your pool (within 24

hours). This is a free service that is limited to 2 adjustments (per year.

Regular Municipal Election

Tuesday, May 7 ~ 12 pm - 7 pm **Price Center, 103 Dorman Street**

The positions of District 1 Council Member and District 3 Council Member are up for election this year.

Election notices are posted at City Hall, the Post Office, the Library, and on the City's website. Absentee voting is available if you are unable to make it to the polls. Call the Clerk of Council at 398-4476 with any questions.

Spring Clean Up Hours:

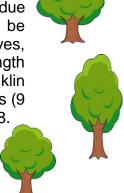
Sat. May 4 8:30 am - 2 pm Mon. May 6 7:30 am – 3 pm Tue. May 7 7:30 am - 3 pm Wed. May 8 7:30 am - 5:30 pm Thu. May 9 7:30 am – 3 pm

May 10 7:30 am - 3 pmFri. Sat. May 11 8:30 am - 2 pm

Yard Waste Drop-Off Program

The City's yard waste program was halted in March due to a lack of space available for disposal but will be resuming on a trial basis starting on April 3. Leaves, grass, and branches up to 4" in diameter & 6' in length can be dropped off at the Public Works Yard (102 Franklin Street) on Wednesdays, 9 am to 3 pm. Summer hours (9 am to 5:30 pm) for yard waste drop-off will start May 8.

The City of Harrington is unable to accept large branches, stumps, or dirt. There is no dumping of yard waste at the lagoon site.



City of Harrington's

150th Anniversary

A Year of Celebration

Information on events and memorabilia is available at harrington150th.org.



Upcoming Events:

- May 27 Memorial Day Parade
- Aug. 24 Heritage Day & fireworks
- Sept. 21 Farm to Table Dinner
- Oct. 10 National Night Out
- Dec. 3 Christmas Tree Lighting
- Dec. 6 Christmas Parade



Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday, April 20 10 am St. Bernadette's Church Kids up to 12

Community Garden



All vegetables are free. Volunteers are needed. Contact HPR.

Senior/Disabled Citizen Partial Tax Relief applications are available in City Hall and on website and due by May 31, 2019. Senior Citizens no longer have to apply every year to receive the discount. Call City Hall with any questions.

Library Events

Visit our website and Facebook page or call for info

Regular Programs:

- Storytime Every Wednesday, 10:45 am
- Walk In Computer Help Tuesdays, 1 pm, sign-up at front desk
- <u>Book Discussion</u> Third Thursday of the month (April 18, May 16), 6 pm – Also recent reads

Special Programs and Events:

<u>Card Club</u> – Tuesdays & Thursdays, April-May, 3:30-5 pm –
Join us at the library for an afternoon of dueling; test your
deck and meet new friends; other games and gamers
welcome; ages 10 and up



- Protect Your Peeps Teen Program Thursday, April 2, 6 pm – Build your team's fortress from cardboard and duct tape, make a marshmallowlaunching catapult, and try to take out the enemy's peeps; snacks will be served
- "I am Richard II; know ye not that?" The Women of <u>Shakespeare's Histories</u> – Thursday, April 4, 6 pm – Speaker Dr. Jeremy War makes the case that these historical women should be restored to their rightful role as major characters
- Assist Benefits (Social Workers at the Library) Fridays, 10 am – 12 pm – DHSS Community Partner helps with applying for benefits, learning about agencies, referrals to partner organizations, and employment training
- Friends of the Harrington Public Library Meeting Thursday, April 11, 5:30 pm – Volunteers that believe a library is a valuable community asset & that promote and enhance library programs, services, facilities; new members welcome
- <u>Teen Book Club</u> Thursday, April 25, 6 pm First teen book club where teens will read books and graphic novels; featuring "Yvain: The Knight of the Lion" by M.T. Anderson
- Reptile Wonders: The Nature Center on the Go Thursday, June 13, 6 pm – Hands-on program featuring exotic species of reptiles; all ages family event
- <u>Cascading Carlos Show and Workshop</u> Tuesday, June 20, 6 pm – Be amazed and learn to juggle to build self-esteem, confidence, & focus
 - Turtle Dance Man presents "Space! The Cosmos for Kids" Tuesday, June 25, 6
 pm Learn and have fun at this technospace-dance-party for kids and teens
 - ILC Dover presentation for families Thursday, June 27, 6 pm – Learn about the space suits ILC Dover creates for astronauts; all ages

Parks & Recreation Events

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- Golf Tournament
 Jonathan's Landing Golf Course in Magnolia;
 foursome registrations open to first 25 teams until May 10; \$300 per foursome includes cart, open range, luncheon, awards, and prizes
- Heritage Day Saturday, August 24; vendor registrations now being accepted (craft, food, info booths); space limited – register early; forms and info available on website



Mowing Reminders

- Grass 6" or less in height
- Grass clippings must be cleared from the sidewalk & street as soon as mowing is complete
- Yard waste cannot be placed in with regular household garbage
- Do not blow grass clippings into the street

Water conservation not only helps your planet, but it saves you money on your water and sewer bills too. Saving a few gallons here and there add up to big savings in water usage & utility costs.

No winter lasts forever; no spring skips its turn.

Hal Borland

Free Housing Repair Program (CDBG)

for homeowners with low to moderate incomes. Contact Kent County at 744-2480.

Keep
Harrington
beautiful,
please
don't litter.

City of Harrington Closings

April 19 Good Friday May 27 Memorial Day

Utility Bills Due May 10

City Council Meetings & Workshops

April 1 6:30 pm Workshop April 15 7:00 pm Meeting May 6 6:30 pm Workshop May 20 7:00 pm Meeting June 3 6:30 pm Workshop June 17 7:00 pm Meeting

Who's Who in the City?
Anthony R. Moyer, Mayor

City Council:

Amy L. Minner (Vice Mayor), District 2 Joe Gannon, District 1 Micah Parker, District 3 Eric D. Marquis, District 4 Charles W. Baugher, Jr., District 5 Duane E. Bivans, District 6

Don Williams, City Manager
Norman Barlow, Chief of Police
Alan Moore, Public Works Supervisor
Christine Hayward, Library Director
Bill Falasco, Parks & Rec Director



102 Fleming Street

There is always lots going on at the Harrington Senior Center. Upcoming special events include a Quarter Auction

on Friday, April 12, and a trip to Charleston, SC and Savannah, GA in May.

Keep up-to-date with all that's happening at the Harrington Senior Center on social media, their website (harringtonseniorcenter.org), or call the office at 398-4224.

